

Chambers of Judge Thomas B. Wells *continued***Staff**Confidential Assistant **Virginia Lanier** (202) 606-8840**Chambers of Judge Robert A. Wherry, Jr.**

400 Second Street, NW, Room 413, Washington, DC 20217

Tel: (202) 606-8828

E-mail: jwherry@ustaxcourt.gov

Robert A. Wherry, Jr.

Judge

Date of Birth: April 7, 1944

Education: Colorado 1966 BS, 1969 JD; NYU 1972 LLM

Began Service: April 23, 2003

Appointed By: President George W. Bush

Term Expires: April 2018

Government: Inheritance Tax Auditor, Office of the Attorney General, State of Colorado**Legal Practice:** Vice President and Secretary, Lentz, Evans & King PC, Denver, Colorado**Staff**Law Clerk **Andrea Blake** (202) 606-8828

Education: Whitworth 1996 BA; Gonzaga 1999 JD

Law Clerk **Cathy Fung** (202) 606-8828

E-mail: cfung@ustaxcourt.gov

Education: UCLA 1995 BA;

North Carolina 2003 JD; NYU 2004 LLM

Chambers of Judge John O. Colvin

400 Second Street, NW, Washington, DC 20217

Tel: (202) 521-0662

John O. Colvin

Judge

Date of Birth: 1946

Education: Missouri 1968 AB; Georgetown 1971 JD, 1978 LLM

Began Service: 1988

Appointed By: President Ronald Reagan

Government: Associate, Office of the Chief Counsel, United States Coast Guard, United States Department of Transportation (1971-1975); Tax Counsel, U.S. Senator Bob Packwood (R-OR), United States Senate (1975-1984); Chief Counsel, Finance Committee, United States Senate (1985-1987); Chief Minority Counsel, Finance Committee, United States Senate (1987-1988)**Current Memberships:** Federal Bar Association**Staff**Law Clerk **Glenn Hirabayashi** (202) 521-0662

Education: West Point 1969 BS;

Southwestern 1980 JD; Georgetown 1987 LLM

Law Clerk **Leah Dursch** (202) 521-0662Secretary **Betty Scott Boom** (202) 521-0662

Education: High Point 1973 BA

Chambers of Senior Judge Renato Beghe

400 Second Street, NW, Washington, DC 20217

Tel: (202) 521-0638

Renato Beghe

Senior Judge

Date of Birth: 1933

Education: Chicago 1951 AB, 1954 JD

Began Service: March 26, 1991

Appointed By: President George H.W. Bush

Political Affiliation: Republican

Legal Practice: Associate, Carter, Ledyard & Milburn (1954-1965); Partner, Carter, Ledyard & Milburn (1965-1983); Partner, Morgan, Lewis & Bockius (1983-1989)**Current Memberships:** American Bar Association; American College of Tax Counsel; American Law Institute; Association of the Bar of the City of New York; International Bar Association; International Fiscal Association; New York State Bar Association**Staff**Law Clerk **Arthur T. Catterall** (202) 521-0638

Education: Texas 1989 JD; Georgetown 2002 LLM

Confidential Assistant **Mary P. Crutchfield** (202) 521-0638**Chambers of Senior Judge Herbert L. Chabot**

400 Second Street, NW, Washington, DC 20217

Tel: (202) 606-8930

Herbert L. Chabot

Senior Judge

Date of Birth: 1931

Education: CCNY 1952 BA; Columbia 1957 LLB; Georgetown 1964 LLM

Began Service: April 3, 1978

Appointed By: President Jimmy Carter

Academic: Adjunct Professor, George Washington University (1974-1984)**Clerkships:** Law Clerk The Honorable Russell E. Train, United States Tax Court (1961-1965)**Government:** Associate, Congressional Joint Committee on Taxation, United States Congress (1965-1978)**Military Service:** United States Army (1953-1955); United States Army Reserve (1955-1963)**Nonprofit:** Legal Staff, American Jewish Congress (1957-1961)**Current Memberships:** American Bar Association; Federal Bar Association**Staff**Attorney-Advisor **Michael M. Lawlor** (202) 606-8930

Education: Montana 2002 JD;

U Washington 2004 LLM

Confidential Assistant **Mary Ann Bivens** (202) 606-8930**Chambers of Senior Judge Howard A. Dawson, Jr.**

400 Second Street, NW, Washington, DC 20217

Tel: (202) 606-8791

Howard A. Dawson, Jr.

Senior Judge

Date of Birth: 1922

Education: North Carolina 1946 BS; George Washington 1949 JD

Began Service: August 21, 1962

Appointed By: President John F. Kennedy

Political Affiliation: Democrat

Academic: David L. Brennan Distinguished Visiting Professor of Law, School of Law, University of Akron (1986); Director, Tax Graduate Program and Professor, University of Baltimore, School of Law (1986-1989); Distinguished Visiting Professor of Law, School of Law, University of San Diego (1991)**Government:** Attorney, Civil Division, Office of Chief Counsel, Internal Revenue Service, United States Department of the Treasury (1950-1953); Civil Advisory Counsel, Atlanta District Office, Internal Revenue Service, United States Department of the Treasury (1953-1957); Regional Counsel, Atlanta Region, Internal Revenue Service, United States Department of the Treasury (1958); Personal Assistant to the Chief Counsel and Assistant Chief Counsel, Office of the Chief Counsel, Internal Revenue Service, United States Department of the Treasury (1958-1962)**Legal Practice:** Private Practice (1949-1950)**Military Service:** United States Army (1943-1945); Captain, United States Army Reserve**Current Memberships:** American Bar Association; District of Columbia Bar, Federal Bar Association; Georgia Bar**Chambers of Senior Judge Julian I. Jacobs**

400 Second Street, NW, Washington, DC 20217

Tel: (202) 521-0723

Julian I. Jacobs

Senior Judge

Date of Birth: 1937

Education: Maryland 1958 BA, 1960 LLB; Georgetown 1965 LLM

Began Service: 1984

Appointed By: President Ronald Reagan

Academic: Adjunct Professor, Graduate Tax Program, University of Baltimore (1991-1994); Adjunct Professor, University of San Diego Law School (2001); Adjunct Professor, University of Denver School of Law (2001)**Government:** Attorney, Legislation and Regulations Division, Office of the Chief Counsel, Internal Revenue Service, United States Department of the Treasury (1961-1965); Trial Attorney, Office of the Regional Counsel, Internal Revenue Service, United States Department of the Treasury (1965-1967)**Legal Practice:** Associate, Weinberg & Green (1967-1969); Hoffberger & Hollander (1969-1972); Partner, Gordon, Feinblatt, Rothman, Hoffberger & Hollander (1972-1984)**Staff**Attorney-Advisor **Jane R. Luckey** (202) 521-0723

Education: Towson State 1970 BS;

Baltimore 1988 JD, 1992 LLM

Confidential Assistant **Victoria Lynn Bowen** (202) 521-0723**Chambers of Senior Judge Arthur L. Nims III**

400 Second Street, NW, Washington, DC 20217

Tel: (202) 521-0750

Arthur L. Nims III

Senior Judge

Date of Birth: 1923

Education: Williams 1945 BA; Georgia 1949 LLB; NYU 1954 LLM

Began Service: June 29, 1979

Appointed By: President Jimmy Carter

Government: Special Attorney, Office of the Chief Counsel, Internal Revenue Service, United States Department of the Treasury (1951-1954)**Legal Practice:** Private Practice (1949-1951); McCarter & English (1955-1979)**Military Service:** United States Naval Reserve (1943-1946)**Current Memberships:** American Bar Association; American College of Tax Counsel; American Law Institute**Staff**Law Clerk **Jason Diener** (202) 521-0750Secretary **Susan Sanders** (202) 521-0750**Chambers of Senior Judge Robert P. Ruwe**

400 Second Street, NW, Washington, DC 20217

Tel: (202) 606-8831

Robert P. Ruwe

Senior Judge

Date of Birth: 1941

Education: Xavier (OH) 1963 BSBA; Salmon P Chase 1970 JD

Began Service: November 20, 1987

Appointed By: President Ronald Reagan

Government: Special Agent, Intelligence Division (Criminal Investigation), Internal Revenue Service, United States Department of the Treasury (1963-1970); Trial Attorney, District Counsel, Internal Revenue Service, United States Department of the Treasury (1970-1977); Technical Assistant to Deputy Chief Counsel, Office of the Chief Counsel, Internal Revenue Service, United States Department of the Treasury (1977-1979); Director, Criminal Tax Division, Office of the Chief Counsel, Internal Revenue Service, United States Department of the Treasury (1979-1982); Deputy Associate Chief Counsel (Litigation), Office of the Chief Counsel, Internal Revenue Service, United States Department of the Treasury (1982-1984); Director, Tax Litigation Division, Office of the Chief Counsel, Internal Revenue Service, United States Department of the Treasury (1984-1987)**Staff**Law Clerk **D. Peter Merkel** (202) 606-8831

Education: American U JD; NYU LLM

Secretary **Kathy Trenary** (202) 606-8831**Chambers of Senior Judge Laurence J. Whalen**

400 Second Street, NW, Room 331, Washington, DC 20217

Tel: (202) 521-0792

Laurence J. Whalen

Senior Judge

Date of Birth: 1944

Education: Georgetown 1967 BA, 1970 JD, 1971 LLM

Began Service: November 23, 1987

Appointed By: President Ronald Reagan

Government: Trial Attorney, Tax Division, United States Department of Justice (1971-1975)**Legal Practice:** Partner, Hamel & Park (1977-1984); Director, Crowe & Dunlevy (1984-1987)

(continued on next page)